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Docket No.	FIS920030061US1
Serial No.	10/604,278
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 Amendment


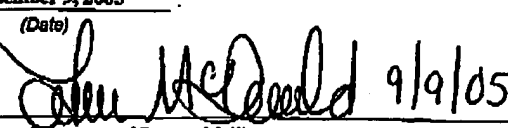
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)				Docket No.	
Applicant(s): Hariklia Deligianni, et al.				FIS920030061US1	
Application No. 10/604,278	Filing Date 7/18/03	Examiner Bernard Rojas	Customer No. 32074	Group Art Unit 2832	Confirmation No. 1277
Invention: Noble Metal Contacts for Micro-Electromechanical Switches					
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
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In re application of: Hariklia Deligianni, et al.	Date: September 9, 2005
Serial Number: 10/604,278	Examiner: Bernard Rojas
Filed: 7/8/03	Group Art Unit: 2832
Title: NOBLE METAL CONTACTS FOR MICRO-ELECTROMECHANICAL SWITCHES	IBM Corporation D/18G, B/321, Zip 482 2070 Route 52 Hopewell Junction, NY 12533-6531

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 23, 2005, the following Amendment is being submitted to place the above-identified application in prima facie condition for allowance.

Kindly consider the following Remarks: